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June 17, 2004

IN REPLY PLEASE

REFER TO FILE: **PD-2**

The Honorable Board of Supervisors  
County of Los Angeles  
383 Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration  
500 West Temple Street  
Los Angeles, CA 90012

Dear Supervisors:

### **HIGHWAYS-THROUGH-CITIES**

**BALDWIN AVENUE FROM LIVE OAK AVENUE TO LOWER AZUSA ROAD  
HERMOSA AVENUE FROM ROSEMEAD BOULEVARD TO ENCINITA AVENUE  
BROADWAY FROM 600 FEET WEST OF ROSEMEAD BOULEVARD  
TO ENCINITA AVENUE  
RENO AVENUE FROM ELM AVENUE TO LONGDEN AVENUE  
ELM AVENUE FROM MUSCATEL AVENUE TO RENO AVENUE  
CITY OF TEMPLE CITY  
RESOLUTION NO. 3884  
SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT 5  
4 VOTES**

### **IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT YOUR BOARD:**

1. Consider the Notice of Exemption for Baldwin Avenue from Live Oak Avenue to Lower Azusa Road, Hermosa Avenue from Rosemead Boulevard to Encinita Avenue, Broadway from 600 feet west of Rosemead Boulevard to Encinita Avenue, Reno Avenue from Elm Avenue to Longden Avenue, and for Elm Avenue from Muscatel Avenue to Reno Avenue, prepared by the City of Temple City on September 25, 2003; concur that these projects are exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act; and find that these actions reflect the independent judgment of the County.

2. Adopt the enclosed Resolution finding that the proposed improvements of Baldwin Avenue, Hermosa Avenue, Broadway, Reno Avenue, and Elm Avenue between the aforementioned limits, within the City of Temple City, are of general County interest and providing that County-aid shall be extended to the City of Temple City in the amount of \$285,000 from the Fifth Supervisorial District's Road Construction Program.

### **PURPOSE/JUSTIFICATION OF RECOMMENDED ACTION**

The City of Temple City is proceeding with a project to resurface the deteriorated roadway pavement on Baldwin Avenue, Hermosa Avenue, and Broadway between the subject limits, which are entirely within the City. The project will also include resurfacing and installation of new curb and gutter on Reno Avenue and Elm Avenue.

Your Board's adoption of the enclosed Resolution will authorize the expenditure of County Highways-Through-Cities funds in the City of Temple City for this roadway project.

Sections 1680-1683 of the California Streets and Highways Code provide that the board of supervisors of any county may, by a resolution adopted by a four-fifths vote of its members, determine that certain types of road improvements on specified streets are of general county interest and that county-aid shall be extended therefore. County-aid may be provided in the form of labor, equipment and materials, or a direct payment to the city.

### **Implementation of Strategic Plan Goals**

This action is consistent with the County's Strategic Plan Goal of Service Excellence. By improving the roadway surface on Baldwin Avenue, Hermosa Avenue, Broadway, Reno Avenue, and Elm Avenue, residents of the City and nearby unincorporated County areas who travel on these streets will benefit from the enhanced safety of the roadways, which will improve their quality of life.

### **FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING**

The total project cost is estimated to be \$1,100,000 of which \$285,000 will be financed by the County. Funding for this project is available from the Fifth Supervisorial District's Road Construction Program included in the Fiscal Year 2003-04 Road Fund budget.

### **FACTS AND PROVISIONS/LEGAL REQUIREMENTS**

The enclosed Resolution has been approved as to form by County Counsel.

### **ENVIRONMENTAL DOCUMENTATION**

The California Environmental Quality Act requires public agency decision makers to document and consider the environmental implications of their actions. The City of Temple City is the lead agency for this project.

The enclosed Notice of Exemption for Baldwin Avenue from Live Oak Avenue to Lower Azusa Road, Hermosa Avenue from Rosemead Boulevard to Encinita Avenue, Broadway from 600 feet west of Rosemead Boulevard to Encinita Avenue, Reno Avenue from Elm Avenue to Longden Avenue, and for Elm Avenue from Muscatel Avenue to Reno Avenue was prepared by the City of Temple City on September 25, 2003. The recommended findings are in accordance with the California Environmental Quality Act and are required prior to your Board's approval of this Resolution.

### **IMPACT ON CURRENT SERVICES (OR PROJECTS)**

Baldwin Avenue, Hermosa Avenue, Broadway, Reno Avenue, and Elm Avenue between the aforementioned limits, are on the County's Highway Plan, and the proposed improvements are needed and of general County interest. No impact on current services or projects will result from this action.

The Honorable Board of Supervisors  
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**CONCLUSION**

Upon the adoption of this Resolution, please return one certified copy to us for transmittal to the City.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES A. NOYES  
Director of Public Works

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cc: Chief Administrative Office  
County Counsel

# Notice of Exemption

Appendix E

To: ☒ Office of Planning and Research  
1400 Tenth Street, Room 121  
Sacramento, CA 95814

From: City of Temple City  
5938 Kauffman Avenue  
Temple City, CA 91780

☐ County Clerk  
County of

**Project Title:** Resurfacing Baldwin Ave, Hermosa Ave, Broadway And Resurfacing And New Curb & Gutter For Reno and Elm Ave.

**Project Location - Specific:** Resurfacing Baldwin Ave from Live Oak to Lower Azusa Road, Hermosa Ave from Rosemead Blvd to Encinita Ave, Broadway from 600 west of Rosemead to Encinita Avenue And Resurfacing And New Curb & Gutter For Reno from Elm to Longden Ave and Elm Ave from Muscatel to Reno.

**Project Location - City:** Temple City **Project Location - County:** Los Angeles

**Description of Nature, Purpose, and Beneficiaries of Project:** City of Temple City

**Name of Public Agency Approving Project:** City of Temple City

**Name of Person or Agency Carrying out Project:** City of Temple City

**Exempt Status:** (check one)

- ☐ Ministerial (Sec. 21080(b)(1); 15268);
- ☐ Declared Emergency (Sec. 21080(b)(3); 15269(a);
- ☐ Emergency Project (Sec. 21080(b)(4); 15269(b)(c));
- ☒ Categorical Exemption. State type and section number: CE under section 15301 class 1(c)
- ☐ Statutory Exemptions. State code number.

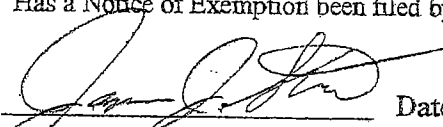
**Reasons why project is exempt:** Repairs of existing roadway

**Lead Agency**

**Contact Person:** Janice Stroud **Area Code/Telephone/Extension:** 626 285-2171 ext. 2340  
Director of Public Services

**If filed by applicant:**

1. Attach certified document of exempt finding.
2. Has a Notice of Exemption been filed by the public agency approving the project? ☐ Yes ☐ No

**Signature:** 

**Date:** 9/25/03

**Title:** Public Services Director

☒ Signed by Lead Agency

**Date received for filing at OPR:**

☐ Signed by Applicant

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**RESOLUTION NO. 3884**

IT IS RESOLVED that the resurfacing of Baldwin Avenue from Live Oak Avenue to Lower Azusa Road, Hermosa Avenue from Rosemead Boulevard to Encinita Avenue, Broadway from 600 feet west of Rosemead Boulevard to Encinita Avenue and resurfacing and new curb and gutter for Reno Avenue from Elm Avenue to Longden Avenue and Elm Avenue from Muscatel Avenue to Reno Avenue, within the City of Temple City, are of general County interest and that County-aid shall be extended, therefore, from the Road Fund, to be expended in accordance with all applicable provisions of law relating to funds derived from the Highway Users Tax, in the amount of \$285,000, to be made available from the Road Fund for this purpose.

Provided, however, that immediately upon completion of the work, an itemized statement shall be rendered to the Director of Public Works showing the application of this money for the improvements, and if any portion of said sum shall not have been so used and expended for the work specified, the sum or sums so remaining unexpended shall be returned to the Director of Public Works immediately and deposited in the Road Fund.

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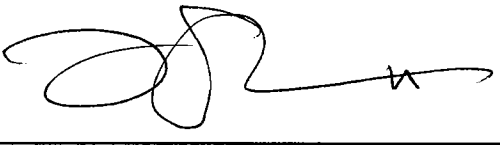
The foregoing Resolution was on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2004, adopted by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles and ex-officio of the governing body of all other special assessment and taxing districts, agencies, and authorities for which said Board so acts.

VIOLET VARONA-LUKENS  
Executive Officer of the  
Board of Supervisors of the  
County of Los Angeles

By \_\_\_\_\_  
Deputy

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

OFFICE OF THE COUNTY COUNSEL

By  \_\_\_\_\_  
Deputy